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Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

This Amendment is filed in response to the office action mailed January 4, 2005, and is accompanied by a Declaration of Suzanne Knox Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132, by a Second Declaration of Susan Crawford Pope Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132, including Exhibit A, and by the fee required for a one-month extension of the response period for a large entity. The claims are amended herein only for the purpose of narrowing "article" to "yard stake" to place the claims in condition for allowance for reasons explained below. Entry of this amendment and reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections of record are respectfully requested.

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